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AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EEC, ENRG, IT

SUBJECT: EEC-CIEC PREPARATIONS

REF: STATE 284443

1. ECMIN CALLED ON AMBASSADOR MONDELLO, DIRECTOR GENERAL  
FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, NOVEMBER  
22 TO CONVEY US CONCERNS RE POSSIBLE LINKAGE BETWEEN CIEC  
OUTCOME AND OPEC DECISION ON OIL PRICES. ECMIN DREW ON  
REFTEL, EMPHASIZING INABILITY TO NEGOTIATE CIEC PACKAGE  
WHICH WOULD PROVIDE INDUCEMENT TO OPEC TO REFRAIN FROM  
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SUBSTANTIAL OIL PRICE INCREASE OVER SEVERAL YEARS AND

DANGER OF STRENGTHENING OPEC TIES TO OTHER LDC'S.

2. MONDELLO EXPRESSED AGREEMENT WITH US POSITION, WHICH  
PF SAID ITALY WOULD TAKE INTO ACCOUNT IN INTRA-EC  
DISCUSSIONS OR CIEC PREPARATIONS. HOWEVER, HE ALSO  
INDICATED THAT HE DID NOT BELIEVE THERE WAS STRONG  
PRESSURE TO STRENGTHEN CIEC OIL-PRICE LINKAGE.BEAUDRY

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